



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 05997.0013-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Steven W. Abrahams et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3624  
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Application No.: 09/602,254 ) Examiner: Subramanian, N.  
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Filed: June 23, 2000 )  
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For: GUARANTEE CERTIFICATES ) Confirmation No.: 9350  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of July 14, 2004. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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